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BANKING SERVICE RECRUITMENT BOARD
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) Whether any decision regarding replacement of the Banking Service Recruitment Boards (BSRBs) by individual recruitment bodies in each nationalised bank have been taken so far ;

(b) if so, the details thereof ; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL)

(a), (b) & (c) : In pursuance of the announcement made by the Finance Minister in his Budget Speech 2001-2002, 13 out of 15 Banking Service Recruitment Boards have already been abolished.Banks have now been advised to frame their own recruitment strategy, with the approval of their Boards, to meet their future requirements. However, while framing such strategy, banks are required to ensure, inter alia, that the recruitment policy is transparent, the process of selection is fair, just, objective and unbiased and due representation is given in the selection committees to the members belonging to SC/STs and minority communities, etc. The banks have also been advised that reservations in posts for SC/STs, OBCs, Ex-servicemen and disabled with concessions in eligibility norms, fees and cut off marks, etc. as laid down by the Government of India from time to time should be strictly followed.